Appl. No. 10/597,514 Amdt. Dated May 6, 2010 Reply to Office Action of January 6, 2010 Attorney Docket No. 81872.0124 Customer No. 26021

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Youhei SAKAI, et al.

Serial No.: 10/597,514

Confirmation No.:

2199

Filed:

July 27, 2006

For:

MOLD, METHOD OF FORMING THE

SAME, AND METHOD OF PRODUCING

POLYCRYSTALLINE SILICON SUBSTRATE USING THE MOLD Art Unit:

1791

Examiner: Seyed Masoud

Malezadeh

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.136, Applicant respectfully petitions the Commissioner for a one-month extension of time extending to May 6, 2010, the period for response to the Final Office Action dated January 6, 2010. Please charge the fee of \$130 for this extension to Deposit Account No. 50-1314. The responsive paper(s) are attached.

Please charge any insufficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1314.

Respectfully submitted,

HOGAN LOVELLS US LLP

Date: May 6, 2010

Registration No. 44,228

Attorney for Applicant(s)

1999 Avenue of the Stars, Suite 1400

Los Angeles, California 90067 Phone: (310) 785-4600

Fax:

(310) 785-4601